



A COMPARISON OF FIRST COMMITMENT CHARACTERISTICS

1990 - 2001

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MISSION AND VALUES

THE MISSION OF THE YOUTH AUTHORITY is to protect the public from criminal activity by providing education, training, and treatment services for youthful offenders committed by the courts; directing these offenders to participate in community and victim restoration; assisting local justice agencies with their efforts to control crime and delinquency; and encouraging the development of state and local programs to prevent crime and delinquency.

In order to enhance our ability to accomplish our mission, we have a shared set of values. **WE VALUE:**

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- **The Worth of the Individual**

We treat all people with dignity, respect, and consideration.

- **People's Ability to Grow and Change**

We believe people have the ability to grow and change, and we provide the opportunity for them to do so.

- **Staff as our Greatest Resource**

We encourage staff to develop personally and professionally and to participate in decision making.

- **Ethical and Moral Behavior**

We demonstrate behavior which is fair, honest, and ethical both on and off the job.

- **Citizen Participation**

We invite public involvement, support, and assistance to plan, deliver, and evaluate programs.

- **Excellence**

Our performance demonstrates a commitment to and recognition of quality, dedication, and innovation.

- **A Safe and Healthy Environment**

We believe that physical and mental health are important, and our commitment is to provide a safe and secure work and living environment.

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INTRODUCTION

This report presents a multi-year comparison of first-commitment characteristics. The items selected are those that have been most frequently requested and which have also been relatively reliable.

The primary-commitment-offense categories used are:

Violent Offenses: Homicide, robbery, all types of assaults, forcible rape, and kidnapping.

Property Offenses: Burglary, theft (including auto), forgery and check offenses, and arson.

Drug Offenses: All offenses related to narcotics and dangerous drugs.

Other Offenses: All offenses not specified above.

Special Note: This report distinguishes between CYA and CDC (Department of Corrections) cases. CYA cases are youth committed directly to the Youth Authority. CDC cases are youth committed to prison (CDC), but ordered by the court to serve at least part of their sentence in Youth Authority facilities.

Information for this report is gathered from Referral Documents and Reception Center-Clinic Summaries.

HIGHLIGHTS

- In 2001, total first commitments to the Youth Authority decreased by 16 percent from 2000 first commitments, and decreased by 56 percent as compared to 1990 admissions.
- In 2001, CDC cases represented less than 5 percent of all first commitments, as compared to 27 percent in 1990.
- Ethnic minorities made up 81 percent of the 2001 first commitments, similar to the 80 percent in 1990.
- Violent offenders -- that is, offenders committed *primarily* for a violent offense -- represented 48 percent of all the 2001 first commitments, virtually the same as 2000. Commitments for property offenses increased during 2001 from 31 percent to 33 percent. Commitments decreased during 2001 from 7 percent to 5 percent for drug offenses; and other offenses remained at 13 percent.
- In 2001, 17 percent of first commitments had no prior conviction or sustained petition. In 1990, the comparable figure was 19 percent.
- In 2001, 38 percent of first commitments had no prior local commitment (e.g., juvenile hall or camp). In 1990, the comparable figure was 40 percent.

SUMMARY OF ITEMS

Sex

The percentage of female first commitments has fluctuated between 3 and 5 percent for the past 12 years. In 2001, females made up 6 percent of all first commitments.

Court of Commitment

Historically, the majority of Youth Authority first commitments have come from the juvenile courts. For the years shown, the proportion of juvenile court commitments has varied from a low of 67 percent in 1990 to a high of 95 percent in 2001.

County of Commitment

Historically, over half of all commitments have been from Southern California (including Los Angeles). In 2001, this area provided 58 percent of total commitments, with 27 percent from Los Angeles County alone.

Primary Commitment Offense

Since 1990, violent offenses (as the *primary* offense) climbed steadily to a high of 60 percent in 1997. In 2001, however, this figure has decreased to 48 percent.

The percentage of those committed *primarily* for property offenses in 2001 was 33 percent, as compared to 32 percent in 1990.

The proportion of commitments *primarily* for a drug offense was 5 percent in 2001, as compared to 15 percent in 1990.

Ethnic Group

Commitments of minority youth increased from 80 percent in 1990 to 86 percent in 1998. In 2001, Hispanics represented the largest group (51 percent). Their increase from 39 percent among 1990 admissions is the most marked change. Also significant, is the drop from 34 percent in 1990 to 25 percent in 2001 for African Americans.

Average Age at Admission

The average age at admission has gradually decreased over time, from 17.7 years in 1990, to 17.0 years in 1997 through 1999. In 2001, the average age at admission was 17.2 years.

Number of Prior Escapes

The percentage of first commitments who had previously escaped from local custody was at 26 percent in 1990. By 1997, it had decreased to 17 percent; by 2001, the figure had increased to 22 percent.

Co-Offenders

About half of the youth admitted over the years have had at least one co-offender in the commission of their primary committing offense. In 2001, the figure was 45 percent.

Disabilities

Since 1990, the percentage of cases identified as having a physical or medical disability at the time of commitment has held steady at about 8 percent.

Reading Comprehension

The overall average grade level of those tested has ranged between eighth and ninth grade for the past twelve years. In 2001, the average reading grade level was unavailable due to a change in the type of test administered.

Mathematics Concepts

The average grade level of those tested has consistently been at the seventh or eighth grade level since 1990. For 2001 first commitments, the average grade level was unavailable due to a change in the type of test administered.

Prior Convictions or Sustained Petitions

In 1990, 19 percent of first commitments had no prior convictions or sustained petitions. For 2001 first commitments, it was 17 percent.

Prior Commitments

In 1990, 40 percent of first commitments had no prior local commitment/placement. For 2001 first commitments, it was 38 percent.

Religion

The change in religious affiliation (among those first commitments claiming an affiliation) has been an increase in “Other” (including Jewish, Muslim, etc.) from 7 percent in 1990, to 11 percent in 2001.

Parents' Marital Status

About 49 percent of first commitments in 2001 came from homes affected by divorce, separation or death of parents, a decrease from 55 percent in 1990. However, the percentage of those whose parents never married increased during the same period, from 21 percent to 31 percent.

TABLE 1
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE YOUTH AUTHORITY
1990 THROUGH 2001
(Showing percentages of totals)

TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	3,615	2,623	992	3,474	2,605	869	3,837	2,844	993	3,640	2,676	964
MALE	96.3	95.8	97.7	96.6	96.3	97.6	96.8	96.8	96.9	96.3	95.6	98.1
FEMALE	3.7	4.2	2.3	3.4	3.7	2.4	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.7	4.4	1.9
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,615	2,623	992	3,474	2,605	869	3,837	2,844	993	3,640	2,676	964
JUVENILE.....	67.3	92.8	-	70.9	94.5	-	69.4	93.6	-	67.9	92.4	-
CRIMINAL.....	32.7	7.2	100.0	29.1	5.5	100.0	30.6	6.4	100.0	32.1	7.6	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,615	2,623	992	3,474	2,605	869	3,837	2,844	993	3,640	2,676	964
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	19.0	17.3	23.5	17.3	16.0	21.8	18.1	18.2	18.0	19.0	18.9	19.6
ALAMEDA	5.0	6.1	1.9	4.4	5.2	2.1	4.1	5.2	0.7	3.6	4.3	1.6
CONTRA COSTA.....	1.4	1.1	2.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.8	3.0	2.2
MONTEREY.....	0.8	0.5	1.8	0.9	0.7	1.7	0.8	1.1	0.2	0.9	1.2	0.3
SAN FRANCISCO.....	1.2	0.9	1.9	1.3	0.9	2.6	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.4	1.0	2.4
SAN MATEO	1.6	1.7	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.4	0.8	2.1	2.1	2.4
SANTA CLARA.....	5.1	4.0	8.3	5.4	4.8	7.2	5.0	4.8	2.5	4.1	3.6	5.4
10 OTHER COUNTIES.....	3.9	3.0	6.3	2.8	1.9	5.6	3.4	2.4	6.2	4.1	3.7	5.3
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	27.4	27.7	26.5	26.8	26.8	26.3	27.0	29.1	21.0	26.7	28.1	22.6
BUTTE	0.7	0.5	1.5	0.7	0.5	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.3	1.0
FRESNO.....	4.6	4.8	3.9	4.3	4.5	3.6	4.7	5.1	3.7	5.8	6.3	4.4
KERN	4.0	4.7	2.0	5.3	6.3	2.2	4.6	5.6	1.9	3.2	3.5	2.3
MADERA	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.5	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.4
SACRAMENTO.....	5.2	5.2	5.3	4.5	4.8	3.6	3.9	4.5	2.4	3.3	3.4	3.0
SAN JOAQUIN.....	3.5	3.6	3.2	3.1	2.5	4.7	3.7	4.2	2.3	2.9	3.2	2.1
STANISLAUS.....	1.4	1.2	2.1	1.3	1.0	2.2	1.5	1.2	2.2	1.9	1.7	2.4
TULARE	1.6	1.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.8	1.9	1.2	2.2	2.4	1.5
25 OTHER COUNTIES.....	5.5	5.1	6.5	5.6	5.4	6.3	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.2	5.5
LOS ANGELES.....	37.0	38.1	34.0	39.0	40.2	35.2	39.1	37.4	43.9	36.1	35.3	38.3
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	16.6	16.9	16.0	16.9	17.0	16.7	15.8	15.3	17.1	18.2	17.7	19.5
ORANGE	3.0	3.5	1.7	3.9	4.6	1.8	4.0	4.1	3.7	4.5	4.3	4.9
RIVERSIDE.....	2.1	1.9	2.6	2.1	2.3	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.6	3.3	3.2	3.5
SAN BERNARDINO.....	2.3	2.3	2.3	3.4	3.0	4.6	3.5	3.5	3.7	2.4	2.2	3.1
SAN DIEGO.....	5.3	5.7	4.6	4.5	4.0	5.9	3.5	3.2	4.1	5.3	5.4	4.8
SANTA BARBARA.....	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.3	1.0	1.1	0.8
VENTURA	2.6	2.4	2.9	1.9	1.8	2.1	1.7	1.5	2.3	1.3	1.0	2.4
2 OTHER COUNTIES.....	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE	3,615	2,623	992	3,474	2,605	869	3,837	2,844	993	3,640	2,676	964
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	47.6	46.0	51.9	51.3	49.0	58.2	57.2	53.0	69.4	59.0	54.2	72.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	32.5	33.5	29.9	31.8	34.1	25.0	28.4	31.7	19.2	27.5	31.2	17.5
DRUG OFFENSES.....	15.0	15.9	12.5	11.0	11.4	9.7	9.2	9.9	6.9	7.9	8.2	7.0
OTHER OFFENSES.....	4.9	4.6	5.7	5.9	5.5	7.1	5.2	5.4	4.5	5.6	6.4	3.3
ETHNIC GROUP	3,615	2,623	992	3,474	2,605	869	3,837	2,844	993	3,640	2,676	964
WHITE	20.4	18.9	24.3	18.4	16.7	23.8	17.2	16.5	19.3	15.2	15.0	15.9
HISPANIC.....	38.6	39.3	37.0	40.9	41.8	38.2	46.2	46.3	45.6	46.4	46.8	45.3
AFRICAN AMERICAN	34.3	35.5	30.9	31.7	33.1	27.5	29.0	30.2	25.8	29.1	29.5	27.8
ASIAN.....	4.0	3.8	4.4	5.6	5.4	5.9	5.1	4.8	6.1	6.2	5.6	7.7
OTHER	2.7	2.5	3.4	3.4	3.0	4.6	2.5	2.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.3

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CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENT.....	3,589	2,771	818	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202
MALE.....	96.6	96.3	97.6	95.9	95.4	97.6	95.5	95.5	95.6	95.0	94.9	96.5
FEMALE	3.4	3.7	2.4	4.1	4.6	2.4	4.5	4.5	4.4	5.0	5.1	3.5
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,589	2,771	818	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202
JUVENILE	71.8	93.0	-	7.6	96.1	-	79.1	96.2	-	86.5	95.1	-
CRIMINAL.....	28.2	7.0	100.0	24.4	3.9	100.0	20.9	3.8	100.0	13.5	4.9	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,589	2,771	818	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.7	19.0	17.7	18.9	19.6	16.3	17.9	19.3	11.1	17.2	18.6	2.5
ALAMEDA	4.3	5.1	1.5	5.0	5.9	1.5	3.3	3.7	1.1	3.7	4.1	-
CONTRA COSTA.....	2.4	2.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.1	2.3	1.0
MONTEREY	0.8	1.1	0.4	1.5	1.8	0.1	2.0	2.4	0.2	2.2	2.4	-
SAN FRANCISCO	1.4	1.4	2.2	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.3	0.4	0.4	-
SAN MATEO	1.7	4.1	2.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.1	-
SANTA CLARA.....	4.1	3.7	4.3	4.5	4.3	5.2	5.4	6.0	2.6	3.8	4.1	1.0
10 OTHER COUNTIES.....	4.0	9.1	5.2	4.1	3.7	5.3	4.1	4.1	3.7	4.0	4.3	0.5
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	31.6	34.1	23.1	30.8	32.9	22.8	26.6	27.4	22.7	25.5	26.5	15.3
BUTTE	0.8	0.4	2.1	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	0.4	0.3	0.5
FRESNO	6.0	6.8	3.1	5.7	6.3	3.5	6.1	6.5	4.5	6.2	6.7	1.5
KERN	5.1	6.3	1.3	4.7	5.4	2.1	3.9	4.3	2.1	1.6	1.8	-
MADERA	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.5	1.2	1.3	0.5
SACRAMENTO.....	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	4.4	3.2	2.9	5.9
SAN JOAQUIN	3.9	4.2	2.9	2.7	2.7	3.0	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	3.5
STANISLAUS	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.7	-
TULARE	2.7	2.6	3.1	4.6	5.0	3.2	2.5	2.9	1.0	2.8	2.9	1.0
25 OTHER COUNTIES.....	7.3	8.1	4.6	7.3	7.8	5.4	5.9	6.0	5.5	6.3	6.7	2.5
LOS ANGELES.....	27.4	24.4	37.4	26.5	23.0	39.5	29.6	27.4	39.8	28.7	26.3	53.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	22.3	22.5	21.8	23.8	24.4	21.4	26.0	25.9	26.3	28.6	28.5	29.2
ORANGE	3.4	3.3	3.9	5.9	6.5	4.0	7.9	8.6	4.4	6.7	6.8	5.9
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SAN BERNARDINO.....	2.7	2.2	4.	2.6	2.8	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.7	5.3	5.4	4.0
SAN DIEGO.....	8.9	10.3	4.3	7.6	8.3	5.0	8.1	8.6	5.6	7.3	7.7	3.0
SANTA BARBARA	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	-
VENTURA	1.3	1.2	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.9	0.8	0.7	1.6	1.0	0.8	3.5
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VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	55.9	51.1	72.05	5.3	49.4	76.9	56.8	52.0	79.2	59.5	56.5	89.6
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	30.2	34.1	17.02	8.4	32.1	14.9	28.8	32.3	12.3	25.5	27.8	3.0
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OTHER OFFENSES.....	7.0	7.3	5.9	8.3	9.4	4.5	8.5	9.2	5.2	9.8	10.4	3.5
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WHITE	17.7	18.2	16.0	16.4	17.2	13.6	15.7	15.6	16.1	14.8	15.3	9.9
HISPANIC.....	42.4	42.9	40.8	47.1	48.4	42.2	48.1	48.7	45.2	49.0	48.8	51.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	29.5	28.7	31.9	27.4	25.6	34.0	26.9	26.3	30.0	26.6	26.7	25.7
ASIAN.....	7.0	6.6	8.3	5.9	5.5	7.1	6.1	6.2	6.0	7.4	7.0	11.4
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TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENT	2,154	2,034	120	2,183	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74
MALE.....	95.7	95.5	98.3	94.0	94.0	91.7	95.1	95.0	96.4	94.3	94.3	94.6
FEMALE.....	4.3	4.5	1.7	6.0	6.0	8.3	4.9	5.0	3.6	5.7	5.7	5.4
COURT OF COMMITMENT	2,154	2,034	120	2,183	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74
JUVENILE.....	91.2	96.6	-	93.1	97.4	-	94.0	98.4	-	94.6	99.2	-
CRIMINAL.....	8.8	3.4	100.0	6.9	2.6	100.0	6.0	1.6	100.0	5.4	0.8	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	2,154	2,034	120	2,183	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.4	19.3	3.3	19.4	20.2	2.1	19.6	20.2	7.1	15.1	15.8	1.4
ALAMEDA	3.8	4.0	-	5.6	5.9	-	5.0	5.3	-	3.2	3.4	-
CONTRA COSTA	2.4	2.5	0.8	2.3	2.4	-	2.6	2.7	-	2.5	2.6	1.4
MONTEREY	3.1	3.3	-	1.2	1.3	-	1.8	1.9	-	1.8	1.9	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.6	0.6	-	0.5	0.6	-	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	-
SAN MATEO	1.5	1.6	0.8	1.5	1.5	1.0	2.3	2.4	-	1.0	1.1	-
SANTA CLARA.....	4.1	4.3	0.8	4.0	4.2	-	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.7	2.8	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES.....	2.9	3.0	0.8	4.2	4.4	1.0	3.9	3.8	4.8	2.7	2.8	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	25.3	25.5	21.7	24.5	24.6	21.9	25.0	25.3	19.0	26.4	26.0	36.5
BUTTE.....	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.3	0.3	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.5	0.5	-
FRESNO.....	5.6	5.9	0.8	6.5	6.8	-	3.5	3.5	3.6	5.2	4.9	10.8
KERN.....	1.9	2.0	0.8	2.4	2.3	5.2	1.8	1.7	4.8	1.6	1.3	6.8
MADERA.....	0.9	1.0	-	0.4	0.4	-	1.2	1.2	-	1.0	1.0	-
SACRAMENTO.....	2.0	1.8	6.7	3.0	2.8	6.3	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.0	9.5
SAN JOAQUIN	1.9	1.7	5.8	3.2	3.1	5.2	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.2	2.2	1.4
STANISLAUS	1.7	1.8	-	0.8	0.9	-	1.5	1.6	-	1.3	1.4	-
TULARE.....	2.4	2.3	4.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	3.5	3.6	1.2	2.3	2.3	1.4
25 OTHER COUNTIES.....	7.8	8.1	2.5	5.7	5.8	3.1	6.9	7.1	3.6	9.2	9.4	6.8
LOS ANGELES.....	26.1	24.3	55.8	27.5	26.4	52.1	27.0	25.8	52.4	26.7	26.7	27.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	30.2	30.8	19.2	28.6	28.8	24.0	28.4	28.7	21.4	31.7	31.6	35.1
ORANGE	7.1	7.5	0.8	5.6	5.7	3.1	4.4	4.5	2.4	4.5	4.4	5.4
RIVERSIDE.....	6.4	6.3	7.5	6.3	6.2	7.3	3.6	3.4	8.3	5.0	4.5	14.9
SAN BERNARDINO	7.7	7.7	8.3	8.8	8.9	8.3	13.1	13.2	9.5	15.3	15.7	6.8
SAN DIEGO.....	5.7	5.9	0.8	5.5	5.5	4.2	4.1	4.3	1.2	4.3	4.2	5.4
SANTA BARBARA.....	0.8	0.8	-	0.6	0.6	-	0.7	0.7	-	0.4	0.4	1.4
VENTURA.....	2.5	2.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	-	2.3	2.4	-	1.9	2.0	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES.....	0.1	0.1	-	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.3	1.4
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE	2,154	2,034	120	2,183	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	53.9	51.7	91.7	51.1	49.3	89.6	48.8	47.1	86.9	48.4	46.4	89.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	28.5	30.0	2.5	32.7	33.8	8.3	31.4	32.6	6.0	33.3	34.8	1.4
DRUG OFFENSES.....	7.1	7.4	2.5	5.6	5.9	-	6.6	6.8	2.4	5.3	5.5	-
OTHER OFFENSES.....	10.5	10.9	3.3	10.6	11.0	2.1	13.2	13.6	4.8	13.1	13.2	9.5
ETHNIC GROUP	2,154	2,034	120	2,183	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74
WHITE	14.3	14.7	7.5	15.5	15.9	6.3	19.5	20.1	7.1	18.8	19.4	6.8
HISPANIC.....	52.8	52.8	54.2	48.9	48.4	58.3	46.4	45.9	57.1	50.9	50.7	55.4
AFRICAN AMERICAN	24.2	23.8	30.0	28.8	28.7	32.3	28.5	28.5	29.8	25.4	25.2	29.7
ASIAN.....	5.4	5.3	6.7	4.6	4.6	3.1	3.7	3.8	2.4	3.3	3.2	6.8
OTHER	3.3	3.4	1.7	2.2	2.3	-	1.8	1.8	3.6	1.6	1.6	1.4

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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.7	17.1	19.4	17.5	17.0	19.3	17.6	17.0	19.2	17.5	16.9	19.0
PRIOR ESCAPES	3,046	2,252	794	2,780	1,860	620	2,967	2,209	758	1,769	1,250	519
NONE OR UNKNOWN	74.4	68.6	90.7	74.8	69.3	91.3	77.0	71.6	92.9	80.8	76.6	90.9
ONE OR MORE	25.6	31.4	9.3	25.2	30.7	8.7	23.0	28.4	7.1	19.2	23.4	9.1
CO-OFFENDERS	3,046	2,252	794	2,480	1,860	620	2,967	2,209	758	1,769	1,250	519
NONE OR UNKNOWN	51.3	51.8	50.0	46.7	47.3	45.0	45.0	47.1	38.8	47.0	51.2	36.8
ONE OR TWO	37.6	36.8	39.7	40.7	39.9	42.9	41.4	38.8	49.0	39.9	36.6	48.0
THREE OR MORE	11.1	11.4	10.3	12.6	12.8	12.1	13.6	14.1	12.2	13.1	12.2	15.2
DISABILITIES.....	3,046	2,252	794	2,480	1,860	620	2,967	2,209	758	1,769	1,250	519
NONE OR UNKNOWN	91.6	92.0	90.6	92.3	91.7	93.9	91.4	91.3	91.8	91.1	90.8	91.9
HANDICAP PRESENT	8.4	8.0	9.4	7.7	8.3	6.1	8.6	8.7	8.2	8.9	9.2	8.1
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.8	7.6	8.4	8.1	7.8	9.0	8.3	8.1	9.1	8.3	8.0	9.0
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	6.9	6.7	7.4	7.3	7.0	8.0	7.5	7.2	8.1	7.3	6.9	8.0
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	2,987	2,209	778	2,430	1,828	602	2,926	2,180	746	1,752	1,233	519
NONE	19.0	14.8	31.0	20.0	14.9	35.4	21.0	14.9	38.7	24.4	18.6	38.2
ONE THRU FOUR	62.1	64.2	56.3	61.8	64.7	53.2	60.6	64.1	50.6	61.8	64.4	55.4
FIVE OR MORE	18.9	21.0	12.7	18.2	20.4	11.4	18.4	21.0	10.7	13.8	17.0	6.4
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	3,010	2,229	781	2,450	1,845	605	2,947	2,203	744	1,748	1,237	511
NONE	40.1	33.6	58.5	50.2	44.9	66.4	46.4	39.5	66.9	48.8	40.4	69.1
ONE	29.3	31.6	22.9	23.6	26.0	16.5	26.0	28.2	19.4	26.9	30.3	18.8
TWO	16.8	19.0	10.6	15.5	17.5	9.3	15.3	17.8	7.7	15.8	18.9	8.2
THREE OR MORE	13.8	15.8	8.0	10.7	11.6	7.8	12.3	14.5	6.0	8.5	10.4	3.9
RELIGION.....	2,282	1,728	554	1,847	1,398	449	2,192	1,642	550	1,555	1,104	451
CATHOLIC.....	48.1	47.4	50.4	52.1	53.9	46.8	53.1	53.8	51.1	57.1	57.3	56.3
PROTESTANT.....	44.8	45.8	41.7	36.7	36.3	37.9	38.0	38.1	37.5	35.2	35.5	34.6
OTHER.....	7.1	6.8	7.9	11.2	9.8	15.3	8.9	8.1	11.4	7.7	7.2	9.1
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	2,963	2,210	753	2,412	1,814	598	2,894	2,168	726	1,742	1,230	512
NEVER MARRIED.....	21.1	23.1	15.5	18.8	20.8	12.5	20.6	22.1	16.2	20.4	21.8	17.0
PRESENTLY MARRIED	24.1	21.8	30.7	25.2	23.3	31.1	26.4	23.8	33.9	28.9	25.8	36.1
NO LONGER MARRIED.....	54.8	55.1	53.8	56.0	55.9	56.4	53.0	54.1	49.9	50.7	52.4	46.9

n/a = Data not available.

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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.4	17.0	19.0	17.4	17.0	18.9	17.2	17.0	18.4	17.0	17.0	17.2
PRIOR ESCAPES.....	2,833	2,200	633	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	75.0	70.5	90.8	73.7	69.2	89.9	78.1	74.8	92.4	83.1	82.0	94.5
ONE OR MORE.....	25.0	29.5	9.2	26.3	30.8	10.1	21.9	25.2	7.6	16.9	18.0	5.5
CO-OFFENDERS.....	2,833	2,200	633	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	49.6	52.5	39.2	50.3	53.5	38.8	48.2	51.1	35.5	50.2	52.4	28.0
ONE OR TWO.....	37.7	34.5	49.1	38.0	35.2	48.6	38.7	37.0	46.6	36.4	34.8	52.2
THREE OR MORE.....	12.7	13.0	11.7	11.6	11.3	12.7	13.1	12.0	17.9	13.4	12.8	19.8
DISABILITIES.....	2,833	2,200	633	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	91.4	91.3	91.6	92.6	92.4	93.7	92.5	92.6	91.8	92.2	92.1	92.9
HANDICAP PRESENT	8.6	8.7	8.4	7.4	7.6	6.3	7.5	7.4	8.2	7.8	7.9	7.1
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	8.8	8.6	9.1	8.5	8.3	9.2	8.4	8.3	9.0	8.0	8.0	8.7
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.5	7.4	8.0	7.5	7.4	8.1	7.4	7.3	8.1	7.2	7.1	7.8
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	2,788	2,164	624	3,095	2,432	663	2,920	2,376	544	1,957	1,781	176
NONE	21.4	17.9	33.7	20.0	15.7	35.9	21.7	17.1	41.9	23.1	21.2	42.6
ONE THRU FOUR	58.6	59.5	55.4	57.6	59.0	52.6	59.1	61.1	50.6	58.9	59.7	51.1
FIVE OR MORE	20.0	22.6	10.9	22.4	25.3	11.5	19.2	21.8	7.5	18.0	19.1	6.3
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	2,805	2,177	628	3,095	2,432	663	2,938	2,392	546	1,983	1,806	177
NONE.....	50.3	46.3	64.2	48.8	44.8	63.3	43.5	38.3	66.3	50.7	48.6	72.9
ONE.....	20.8	22.0	16.6	22.4	23.1	19.6	25.4	26.8	18.9	22.5	22.9	18.1
TWO.....	15.2	16.5	10.8	14.8	16.2	9.5	17.6	19.9	7.9	15.3	16.2	6.2
THREE OR MORE	13.7	15.2	8.4	14.1	15.8	7.5	13.5	15.0	7.0	11.4	12.3	2.8
RELIGION	1,888	1,454	434	2,195	1,714	481	2,149	1,736	413	1,568	1,413	155
CATHOLIC.....	52.5	53.7	48.6	50.2	50.5	48.9	46.9	47.9	42.4	43.8	43.0	51.0
PROTESTANT.....	39.3	38.7	41.3	38.9	38.9	38.9	41.9	40.7	47.0	43.8	44.0	41.3
OTHER	8.2	7.6	10.1	10.9	10.6	12.3	11.2	11.3	10.7	12.5	13.0	7.7
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	2,750	2,141	609	3,024	2,379	645	2,875	2,348	527	1,952	1,774	178
NEVER MARRIED	24.6	26.5	18.1	26.5	26.8	25.3	26.5	27.0	24.3	26.2	26.6	22.5
PRESENTLY MARRIED	24.6	22.7	31.2	23.5	21.9	29.8	24.1	24.0	24.3	25.7	25.1	31.5
NO LONGER MARRIED.....	50.8	50.8	50.7	50.0	51.3	45.0	49.4	49.0	51.4	48.1	48.3	46.1

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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1998			1999			2000			2001		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.0	17.2	17.2	16.9
PRIOR ESCAPES.....	1,682	1,587	95	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	82.1	81.4	93.7	76.6	75.6	98.7	78.8	78.1	93.8	78.3	77.5	95.2
ONE OR MORE	17.9	18.6	6.3	23.4	24.4	1.3	21.2	21.9	6.3	21.7	22.5	4.8
CO-OFFENDERS	1,682	1,587	95	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	53.8	55.5	26.3	53.3	54.6	23.1	55.8	56.6	37.5	54.7	56.2	23.8
ONE OR TWO	34.8	33.4	58.9	35.8	35.0	53.8	35.6	34.9	53.1	35.8	34.6	61.9
THREE OR MORE	11.4	11.2	14.7	10.9	10.4	23.1	8.5	8.5	9.4	9.4	9.2	14.3
DISABILITIES.....	1,682	1,587	95	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	92.2	92.0	95.8	91.9	91.8	94.9	91.9	91.8	95.3	91.9	91.9	92.1
HANDICAP PRESENT	7.8	8.0	4.2	8.1	8.2	5.1	8.1	8.2	4.7	8.1	8.1	7.9
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	8.0	8.0	8.2	7.9	7.9	8.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.2	7.2	7.5	6.9	6.9	7.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	1,641	1,546	95	1,869	1,791	78	1,472	1,409	63	1,379	1,316	63
NONE.....	19.4	18.2	38.9	16.3	15.1	42.3	15.8	14.7	41.3	17.0	15.8	42.9
ONE THRU FOUR.....	60.5	60.7	55.8	61.9	62.5	48.7	63.8	64.3	50.8	61.2	61.5	55.6
FIVE OR MORE	20.2	21.1	5.3	21.8	22.4	9.0	20.4	21.0	7.9	21.8	22.7	1.6
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,664	1,569	95	1,892	1,814	78	1,493	1,430	63	1,392	1,329	63
NONE	40.3	38.4	72.6	39.1	37.8	69.2	36.1	34.8	66.7	37.5	36.0	69.8
ONE	21.8	22.2	15.8	22.6	22.5	25.6	23.2	23.4	19.0	24.5	24.6	22.2
TWO	20.4	21.2	6.3	19.5	20.1	3.8	22.0	22.7	4.8	20.4	21.1	6.3
THREE OR MORE	17.5	18.2	5.3	18.8	19.6	1.3	18.7	19.1	9.5	17.6	18.4	1.6
RELIGION	1,323	1,246	77	1,498	1,431	67	1,180	1,121	59	1,091	1,047	44
CATHOLIC.....	46.2	46.1	48.1	44.5	44.7	41.8	44.7	44.4	49.2	44.6	44.6	45.5
PROTESTANT.....	44.4	44.4	45.5	46.8	46.9	44.8	45.4	45.2	49.2	44.1	44.1	43.2
OTHER	9.4	9.6	6.5	8.7	8.5	13.4	9.9	10.3	1.7	11.3	11.3	11.4
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,631	1,538	93	1,855	1,780	75	1,473	1,410	63	1,373	1,312	61
NEVER MARRIED.....	28.6	28.8	25.8	31.3	31.3	32.0	32.7	32.8	31.7	31.1	31.1	31.1
PRESENTLY MARRIED	23.5	23.2	28.0	19.6	19.3	26.7	19.3	19.3	19.0	20.1	19.6	31.1
NO LONGER MARRIED	47.9	48.0	46.2	49.1	49.4	41.3	48.0	47.9	49.2	48.8	49.3	37.7

TABLE 2
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE YOUTH AUTHORITY
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MALES ONLY

CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	3,483	2,514	969	3,356	2,508	848	3,715	2,753	962	3,505	2,559	946
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,483	2,514	969	3,356	2,508	848	3,715	2,753	962	3,505	2,559	946
JUVENILE.....	67.0	92.9	-	70.7	94.6	-	69.4	93.7	-	67.4	92.3	-
CRIMINAL.....	33.0	7.1	100.0	29.3	5.4	100.0	30.6	6.3	100.0	32.6	7.7	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,483	2,514	969	3,356	2,508	848	3,715	2,753	962	3,505	2,559	946
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	19.4	17.8	23.6	17.5	15.8	22.3	18.1	18.1	18.0	19.2	19.0	19.8
ALAMEDA.....	5.1	6.4	2.0	4.4	5.2	2.1	4.1	5.3	0.7	3.6	4.4	1.7
CONTRA COSTA.....	1.4	1.1	2.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	2.2	2.4	1.8	2.9	3.1	2.2
MONTEREY.....	0.9	0.5	1.9	0.9	0.6	1.7	0.8	1.1	0.2	1.0	1.2	0.3
SAN FRANCISCO	1.2	1.0	1.7	1.3	0.9	2.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.4	1.0	2.4
SAN MATEO.....	1.6	1.8	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.4	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.4
SANTA CLARA	5.2	4.0	8.3	5.5	4.8	7.4	5.0	4.7	5.7	4.1	3.6	5.5
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.0	3.0	6.3	2.9	1.8	5.8	3.4	2.4	6.3	4.1	3.6	5.3
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	27.1	27.3	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.2	26.7	28.7	20.9	26.4	27.9	22.4
BUTTE.....	0.7	0.4	1.4	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.3	1.1
FRESNO.....	4.6	4.8	4.0	4.3	4.6	3.5	4.8	5.2	3.6	5.9	6.4	4.4
KERN.....	3.8	4.5	2.1	5.3	6.3	2.3	4.5	5.4	1.8	3.2	3.5	2.3
MADERA.....	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.5	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.3
SACRAMENTO	5.2	5.2	5.2	4.5	4.9	3.4	3.9	4.4	2.4	3.3	3.5	2.9
SAN JOAQUIN	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.4	4.9	3.7	4.1	2.4	3.0	3.3	2.1
STANISLAUS.....	1.4	1.2	2.1	1.3	1.0	2.1	1.4	1.2	2.3	1.9	1.7	2.4
TULARE	1.6	1.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.7	1.9	1.2	2.1	2.3	1.6
25 OTHER COUNTIES	5.5	5.0	6.5	5.6	5.3	6.4	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.9	5.3
LOS ANGELES.....	36.6	37.9	33.5	39.0	40.3	34.9	39.5	37.9	44.3	36.0	35.2	38.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	16.9	17.0	16.3	16.8	17.0	16.6	15.7	15.3	16.8	18.4	17.9	19.8
ORANGE	2.9	3.4	1.8	3.7	4.4	1.8	4.0	4.1	3.4	4.6	4.4	5.0
RIVERSIDE.....	2.1	1.9	2.7	2.1	2.3	1.5	2.1	1.9	2.7	3.2	3.2	3.5
SAN BERNARDINO.....	2.3	2.3	2.4	3.4	3.0	4.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	2.5	2.2	3.2
SAN DIEGO.....	5.6	5.9	4.5	4.6	4.1	5.9	3.5	3.3	4.2	5.4	5.6	4.9
SANTA BARBARA.....	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.3	1.0	1.1	0.8
VENTURA.....	2.6	2.4	3.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	1.8	1.6	2.4	1.4	1.0	2.4
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.7	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE	3,483	2,514	969	3,356	2,508	848	3,715	2,753	962	3,505	2,559	946
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	47.6	45.9	51.9	51.2	49.0	57.9	57.3	53.0	69.5	58.9	54.0	72.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	32.8	33.8	30.1	32.0	34.2	25.2	28.5	31.7	19.2	27.6	31.2	17.7
DRUG OFFENSES.....	14.8	15.8	12.3	10.9	11.4	9.6	9.0	9.8	6.8	7.8	8.2	6.8
OTHER OFFENSES.....	4.8	4.5	5.7	5.9	5.4	7.3	5.2	5.5	4.5.	5.7	6.6	3.3
ETHNIC GROUP.....	3,483	2,514	969	3,356	2,508	848	3,715	2,753	962	3,505	2,559	946
WHITE.....	20.0	18.5	24.0	17.8	15.9	23.2	16.6	15.8	18.8.	14.7	14.4	15.6
HISPANIC.....	39.1	39.8	37.4	41.3	42.3	38.4	46.9	47.1	46.3	47.2	47.7	46.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	34.3	35.6	30.8	31.8	33.2	27.7	28.8	30.0	25.6	28.7	29.2	27.3
ASIAN.....	4.1	4.0	4.4	5.8	5.7	6.0	5.2	4.9	6.1	6.3	5.7	7.8
OTHER.....	2.5	2.1	3.4	3.3	2.9	4.7	2.5	2.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.3

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CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	3,467	2,669	798	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,467	2,669	798	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195
JUVENILE.....	71.6	93.0	-	75.1	95.9	-	79.1	96.2	-	86.4	95.1	-
CRIMINAL.....	28.4	7.0	100.0	24.9	4.1	100.0	20.9	3.8	100.0	13.6	4.9	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,467	2,669	798	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.5	18.7	17.8	18.6	19.2	16.6	17.8	19.3	11.0	17.0	18.4	2.6
ALAMEDA.....	4.2	5.0	1.5	5.1	6.1	1.5	3.2	3.7	1.0	3.7	4.0	-
CONTRA COSTA	2.5	2.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.1	2.2	1.0
MONTEREY.....	0.7	0.8	0.4	1.4	1.8	0.1	2.0	2.3	0.2	2.1	2.3	-
SAN FRANCISCO	1.4	1.2	2.0	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.3	0.4	0.4	-
SAN MATEO.....	1.5	1.3	2.5	1.2	1.1	1.5	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.1	-
SANTA CLARA	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.2	5.2	5.6	6.2	2.7	3.8	4.1	1.0
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.0	3.5	5.4	4.0	3.6	5.4	3.9	4.0	3.4	4.0	4.4	0.5
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	31.6	34.1	23.2	30.6	32.8	22.7	26.3	27.0	22.9	25.4	26.4	14.9
BUTTE.....	0.8	0.4	2.1	0.4	0.2	1.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	0.3	0.3	0.5
FRESNO	6.1	7.0	3.1	5.8	6.5	3.4	6.1	6.4	4.7	6.2	6.7	1.0
KERN.....	5.1	6.3	1.3	4.7	5.4	2.0	3.9	4.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	-
MADERA.....	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.9	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.3	1.2	1.2	0.5
SACRAMENTO	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	4.4	3.2	2.9	5.6
SAN JOAQUIN	4.0	4.3	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	3.6
STANISLAUS.....	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.7	-
TULARE	2.6	2.4	3.1	4.5	4.9	3.2	2.3	2.6	0.8	2.8	2.9	1.0
25 OTHER COUNTIES	7.2	8.0	4.7	7.2	7.6	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.6	2.6
LOS ANGELES	27.6	24.7	37.3	26.7	23.3	39.2	29.8	27.6	39.6	29.1	26.6	53.3
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	22.3	22.4	21.7	24.1	24.8	21.5	26.2	26.1	26.5	28.6	28.5	29.2
ORANGE	3.5	3.4	3.6	6.1	6.7	4.1	8.1	8.9	4.4	6.8	6.9	6.2
RIVERSIDE.....	4.0	3.6	5.4	4.5	3.9	6.7	5.9	4.9	10.3	7.3	6.8	12.8
SAN BERNARDINO.....	2.8	2.3	4.4	2.7	2.9	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.9	5.4	5.5	4.1
SAN DIEGO	8.8	10.1	4.4	7.6	8.4	4.9	8.0	8.5	5.9	7.2	7.6	2.6
SANTA BARBARA	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	-
VENTURA	1.4	1.2	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.9	0.7	0.7	1.5	1.0	0.8	3.6
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.4	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.4	0.5	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE.....	3,467	2,669	798	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	55.8	50.9	72.2	55.3	49.4	76.6	57.0	52.1	79.6	58.9	55.9	89.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	30.4	34.3	16.9	28.4	32.1	15.1	28.6	32.1	12.3	25.9	28.2	3.1
DRUG OFFENSES.....	6.8	7.4	5.0	7.8	8.9	3.8	5.9	6.4	3.2	5.1	5.2	4.1
OTHER OFFENSES.....	7.0	7.4	5.9	8.5	9.6	4.6	8.6	9.3	4.9	10.0	10.7	3.6
ETHNIC GROUP	3,467	2,669	798	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195
WHITE	17.1	17.4	16.3	16.1	16.7	13.9	15.0	15.0	15.2	14.2	14.7	9.2
HISPANIC.....	42.8	43.4	40.6	47.5	49.0	41.8	48.6	49.2	45.9	49.4	49.3	50.8
AFRICAN AMERICAN	29.6	28.9	32.1	27.3	25.5	33.8	26.9	26.3	30.0	26.6	26.7	26.2
ASIAN.....	7.1	6.7	8.3	6.0	5.7	7.2	6.2	6.3	6.1	7.7	7.3	11.8
OTHER.....	3.4	3.6	2.7	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.9	2.1	2.1	2.1

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CHARACTERISTICS	1998			1999			2000			2001		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS.....	2,061	1,943	118	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70
COURT OF COMMITMENT	2,061	1,943	118	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70
JUVENILE.....	91.0	96.6	-	93.3	97.5	-	94.0	98.4	-	94.6	99.2	-
CRIMINAL.....	9.0	3.4	100.0	6.7	2.5	100.0	6.0	1.6	100.0	5.4	0.8	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	2,061	1,943	118	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA.....	18.4	19.4	3.4	19.5	20.2	2.3	19.4	19.9	7.4	14.8	15.4	1.4
ALAMEDA	3.8	4.1	-	5.7	5.9	-	5.1	5.3	-	3.3	3.4	-
CONTRA COSTA.....	2.4	2.5	0.8	2.4	2.5	-	2.6	2.8	-	2.3	2.3	1.4
MONTEREY.....	3.0	3.1	-	1.2	1.2	-	1.9	2.0	-	1.7	1.8	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.6	0.7	-	0.6	0.6	-	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	-
SAN MATEO	1.6	1.6	0.8	1.5	1.5	1.1	2.2	2.3	-	1.0	1.0	-
SANTA CLARA.....	4.1	4.3	0.8	4.0	4.2	-	2.6	2.7	1.2	2.8	2.9	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	2.9	3.0	0.8	4.1	4.2	1.1	3.8	3.7	4.9	2.6	2.7	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	25.0	25.2	22.0	24.6	24.7	21.6	24.7	25.0	17.3	26.0	25.5	35.7
BUTTE	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.3	0.4	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.5	0.6	-
FRESNO.....	5.6	5.9	0.8	6.7	7.0	-	3.3	3.3	3.7	4.9	4.6	11.4
KERN	1.8	1.9	0.8	2.5	2.4	5.7	1.7	1.5	4.9	1.5	1.3	7.1
MADERA	0.9	1.0	-	0.4	0.4	-	1.2	1.3	-	0.9	0.9	-
SACRAMENTO.....	2.0	1.7	6.8	3.0	2.9	5.7	3.5	3.5	3.7	2.9	2.7	7.1
SAN JOAQUIN	1.9	1.7	5.9	3.2	3.2	4.5	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.3	2.3	1.4
STANISLAUS.....	1.8	1.9	-	0.8	0.8	-	1.6	1.6	-	1.3	1.3	-
TULARE	2.3	2.2	4.2	2.0	2.0	2.3	3.6	3.7	1.2	2.3	2.4	1.4
25 OTHER COUNTIES	7.6	7.9	2.5	5.7	5.8	3.4	6.8	7.1	2.5	9.3	9.4	7.1
LOS ANGELES.....	26.3	24.5	55.9	27.6	26.5	50.0	27.4	26.2	53.1	27.4	27.5	25.7
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	30.2	30.9	18.6	28.4	28.5	26.1	28.6	28.8	22.2	31.8	31.6	37.1
ORANGE	7.3	7.7	0.8	5.8	5.9	3.4	4.6	4.7	2.5	4.5	4.5	5.7
RIVERSIDE	6.3	6.2	7.6	6.0	5.9	8.0	3.5	3.3	8.6	5.0	4.5	15.7
SAN BERNARDINO	7.8	7.8	7.6	8.6	8.6	9.1	13.0	13.1	9.9	15.4	15.8	7.1
SAN DIEGO	5.7	6.0	0.8	5.6	5.6	4.5	4.3	4.4	1.2	4.3	4.3	5.7
SANTA BARBARA.....	0.7	0.8	-	0.6	0.7	-	0.7	0.7	-	0.5	0.4	1.4
VENTURA	2.4	2.4	1.7	1.5	1.6	-	2.3	2.4	-	1.8	1.9	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.1	0.1	-	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.3	1.4
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE	2,061	1,943	118	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	54.2	51.9	93.2	50.7	48.9	90.9	48.3	46.5	87.7	48.4	46.5	88.6
PROPERTY OFFENSES	28.0	29.6	2.5	33.1	34.3	6.8	31.6	32.9	4.9	33.0	34.5	1.4
DRUG OFFENSES.....	7.0	7.3	1.7	5.4	5.7	-	6.5	6.6	2.5	5.1	5.4	-
OTHER OFFENSES.....	10.7	11.2	2.5	10.8	11.2	2.3	13.6	14.0	4.9	13.5	13.6	10.0
ETHNIC GROUP	2,061	1,943	118	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70
WHITE	13.7	14.1	7.6	14.7	15.1	6.8	19.2	19.8	6.2	17.9	18.4	7.1
HISPANIC	53.6	53.6	53.4	49.2	48.8	56.8	47.2	46.7	58.0	52.0	51.8	57.1
AFRICAN AMERICAN.....	23.8	23.4	30.5	29.3	29.1	34.1	28.0	28.0	29.6	25.1	25.0	27.1
ASIAN	5.5	5.5	6.8	4.8	4.9	2.3	3.8	3.9	2.5	3.4	3.2	7.1
OTHER	3.3	3.4	1.7	2.0	2.1	-	1.7	1.6	3.7	1.5	1.5	1.4

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CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.7	17.1	19.4	17.6	17.0	19.3	17.6	17.0	19.2	17.5	16.9	19.0
PRIOR ESCAPES.....	2,914	2,143	771	2,366	1,764	602	2,846	2,118	728	1,691	1,185	506
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	74.0	68.0	90.5	74.5	68.8	91.0	76.3	70.6	92.9	80.1	75.5	90.7
ONE OR MORE.....	26.0	32.0	9.5	25.5	31.2	9.0	23.7	29.4	7.1	19.9	24.5	9.3
CO-OFFENDERS.....	2,914	2,143	771	2,366	1,764	602	2,846	2,118	728	1,691	1,185	506
NONE OR UNKNOWN	50.9	51.3	49.9	46.6	47.1	45.0	45.0	46.8	39.7	46.6	51.1	36.0
ONE OR TWO	37.9	37.2	39.7	40.6	39.8	43.0	41.3	38.7	49.0	40.2	36.7	48.4
THREE OR MORE	11.2	11.5	10.4	12.8	13.1	12.0	13.7	14.5	11.3	13.2	12.2	15.6
DISABILITIES.....	2,914	2,143	771	2,366	1,764	602	2,846	2,118	728	1,691	1,185	506
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	91.7	92.0	91.1	92.2	91.6	93.9	91.4	91.2	91.8	90.8	90.5	91.7
HANDICAP PRESENT	8.3	8.0	8.9	7.8	8.4	6.1	8.6	8.8	8.2	9.2	9.5	8.3
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.8	7.6	8.4	8.1	7.9	8.9	8.4	8.1	9.1	8.4	8.1	9.0
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	6.9	6.8	7.4	7.3	7.1	8.0	7.5	7.3	8.2	7.3	7.0	8.0
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	2,856	2,101	755	2,316	1,732	584	2,805	2,089	716	1,674	1,168	506
NONE.....	18.8	14.6	30.5	19.6	14.7	34.2	20.6	14.6	38.1	23.6	17.6	37.4
ONE THRU FOUR.....	62.1	64.0	56.8	61.9	64.5	54.1	60.6	63.9	50.9	62.0	64.6	56.1
FIVE OR MORE.....	19.1	21.4	12.7	18.5	20.8	11.7	18.8	21.5	11.0	14.4	17.8	6.5
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	2,878	2,120	758	2,336	1,749	587	2,826	2,112	714	1,670	1,172	498
NONE	39.6	33.1	57.8	49.1	43.6	65.6	44.8	37.7	66.0	47.4	38.5	68.3
ONE	28.9	31.0	23.2	23.7	26.0	17.0	26.4	28.7	19.7	27.3	30.7	19.3
TWO	17.1	19.3	10.8	15.9	18.1	9.4	15.9	18.6	8.0	16.5	19.9	8.4
THREE OR MORE	14.4	16.6	8.2	11.3	12.3	8.0	12.9	15.0	6.3	8.8	10.9	4.0
RELIGION.....	2,166	1,628	538	1,739	1,308	431	2,084	1,562	522	1,481	1,043	438
CATHOLIC.....	48.4	47.7	50.4	52.3	54.2	46.6	53.5	54.2	51.3	58.0	58.4	57.1
PROTESTANT.....	44.4	45.3	41.6	35.8	35.3	37.4	37.3	37.4	37.0	34.2	34.2	34.0
OTHER	7.2	7.0	8.0	11.9	10.5	16.0	9.2	8.4	11.7	7.8	7.4	8.9
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	2,833	2,103	730	2,299	1,719	580	2,776	2,078	698	1,664	1,165	499
NEVER MARRIED	20.7	22.7	14.9	18.1	20.1	12.2	19.7	21.1	15.5	19.6	20.9	16.4
PRESENTLY MARRIED	24.5	22.2	31.2	25.8	23.9	31.6	26.7	24.2	34.2	29.7	27.0	36.3
NO LONGER MARRIED	54.8	55.1	53.9	56.1	56.0	56.2	53.6	54.7	50.3	50.7	52.1	47.3

n/a = Data not available.

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CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.8	17.1	19.0	17.4	17.0	18.9	17.2	17.0	18.4	17.0	17.0	17.2
PRIOR ESCAPES.....	2,722	2,107	615	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528.	1,944	1,767	177
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	74.3	69.5	90.7	72.8	68.0	89.8	77.6	74.3	92.0	82.7	81.5	94.9
ONE OR MORE.....	25.7	30.5	9.3	27.2	32.0	10.2	22.4	25.7	8.0	17.3	18.5	5.1
CO-OFFENDERS	2,722	2,107	615	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528	1,944	1,767	177
NONE OR UNKNOWN	49.1	52.1	38.9	50.3	53.4	39.2	48.0	50.8	35.8	50.6	52.8	28.2
ONE OR TWO	37.9	34.7	49.1	37.9	35.0	48.2	38.9	37.3	46.2	36.0	34.4	52.0
THREE OR MORE	13.0	13.2	12.0	11.8	11.6	12.6	13.1	12.0	18.0	13.4	12.8	19.8
DISABILITIES.....	2,722	2,107	615	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528	1,944	1,767	177
NONE OR UNKNOWN	91.1	91.0	91.5	92.4	92.1	93.5	92.3	92.5	91.5	92.2	92.1	92.7
HANDICAP PRESENT	8.9	9.0	8.5	7.6	7.9	6.5	7.7	7.5	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.3
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	8.8	8.6	9.1	8.5	8.3	9.2	8.4	8.3	9.0	8.0	8.0	8.7
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.5	7.4	8.0	7.5	7.4	8.1	7.4	7.3	8.1	7.2	7.1	7.8
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	2,677	2,071	606	2,947	2,302	645	2,817	2,297	520.	1,886	1,715	171
NONE	21.1	17.8	32.7	19.8	15.6	35.0	21.5	17.0	41.2.	22.8	20.8	43.3
ONE THRU FOUR.....	58.2	58.8	56.1	57.3	58.4	53.3	58.8	60.6	51.0.	59.0	59.8	50.9
FIVE OR MORE.....	20.7	23.4	11.2	22.9	26.0	11.6	19.7	22.4	7.9.	18.2	19.4	5.8
PRIOR COMMITMENTS.....	2,694	2,084	610	2,947	2,302	645	2,835	2,313	522	1,912	1,740	172
NONE.....	48.8	44.6	63.1	47.2	43.0	62.5	42.6	37.5	65.1.	49.3	47.0	72.1
ONE.....	21.3	22.6	17.1	22.6	23.3	20.0	25.3	26.6	19.3.	23.1	23.6	18.6
TWO.....	15.7	17.0	11.1	15.4	17.0	9.8	18.1	20.3	8.2.	15.7	16.7	6.4
THREE OR MORE.....	14.2	15.8	8.7	14.7	16.7	7.8	14.0	15.5	7.3	11.9	12.8	2.9
RELIGION.....	1,790	1,372	418	2,077	1,596	481	2,053	1,662	391	1,501	1,351	150
CATHOLIC	53.1	54.4	48.8	50.9	51.7	48.9	47.7	48.7	43.5	44.2	43.4	51.3
PROTESTANT	38.4	37.7	40.9	37.4	37.0	38.9	40.8	39.7	45.5	42.8	43.1	40.7
OTHER	8.5	7.9	10.3	11.6	11.3	12.3	11.5	11.6	11.0	13.0	13.5	8.0
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	2,639	2,048	591	2,878	2,251	627	2,773	2,270	503	1,880	1,707	173
NEVER MARRIED	24.5	26.3	18.1	25.9	26.2	24.7	26.1	26.7	23.5	25.4	25.7	22.5
PRESENTLY MARRIED	24.8	23.0	31.1	24.1	22.5	30.1	24.5	24.4	24.9	26.1	25.5	31.8
NO LONGER MARRIED	50.7	50.7	50.8	50.0	51.3	45.1	49.4	48.9	51.7	48.6	48.9	45.7

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CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE YOUTH AUTHORITY
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CHARACTERISTICS	1998			1999			2000			2001		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.0	17.2	17.2	16.9
PRIOR ESCAPES	1,610	1,515	95	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	81.4	80.7	93.7	75.2	74.2	98.6	78.0	77.3	93.4	77.0	76.1	95.1
ONE OR MORE.....	18.6	19.3	6.3	24.8	25.8	1.4	22.0	22.7	6.6	23.0	23.9	4.9
CO-OFFENDERS	1,610	1,515	95	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61
NONE OR UNKNOWN	53.4	55.1	26.3	53.1	54.3	23.9	55.8	56.6	37.7	53.7	55.2	23.0
ONE OR TWO	35.0	33.5	58.9	36.0	35.3	53.5	35.7	34.9	52.5	36.6	35.4	62.3
THREE OR MORE	11.6	11.4	14.7	10.9	10.4	22.5	8.5	8.5	9.8	9.6	9.4	14.8
DISABILITIES.....	1,610	1,515	95	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	92.0	91.8	95.8	91.7	91.6	94.4	91.8	91.6	95.1	91.6	91.6	91.8
HANDICAP PRESENT.....	8.0	8.2	4.2	8.3	8.4	5.6	8.2	8.4	4.9	8.4	8.4	8.2
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	8.0	8.0	8.2	7.9	7.9	8.1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.2	7.2	7.5	7.0	6.9	7.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	1,569	1,474	95	1,765	1,694	71	1,418	1,358	60	1,299	1,238	61
NONE	19.0	17.7	38.9	15.0	13.9	42.3	15.0	13.9	40.0	16.6	15.4	41.0
ONE THRU FOUR.....	60.4	60.7	55.8	62.3	62.8	49.2	64.2	64.7	51.7	60.8	61.0	57.3
FIVE OR MORE	20.6	21.6	5.3	22.7	23.3	8.5	20.8	21.4	8.3	22.6	23.6	1.6
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,593	1,498	95	1,787	1,716	71	1,438	1,378	60	1,312	1,251	61
NONE	37.7	35.4	72.6	35.5	34.3	66.2	33.7	32.4	65.0	33.7	32.0	68.9
ONE	22.8	23.2	15.8	24.0	23.8	28.2	24.1	24.3	20.0	26.0	26.1	23.0
TWO	21.3	22.2	6.3	20.6	21.3	4.2	22.7	23.5	5.0	21.6	22.4	6.6
THREE OR MORE	18.3	19.1	5.3	19.9	20.7	1.4	19.4	19.8	10.0	18.7	19.5	1.6
RELIGION.....	1,258	1,181	77	1,407	1,345	62	1,126	1,070	56	1,028	986	42
CATHOLIC.....	47.4	47.3	48.1	45.2	45.5	38.7	45.7	45.5	50.0	46.0	45.9	47.6
PROTESTANT.....	42.9	42.8	45.5	45.7	45.7	46.8	44.1	43.9	48.2	42.1	42.2	40.5
OTHER	9.7	9.9	6.5	9.1	8.8	14.5	10.1	10.6	1.8	11.9	11.9	11.9
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,564	1,471	93	1,752	1,684	68	1,416	1,356	60	1,295	1,236	59
NEVER MARRIED	28.1	28.2	25.8	30.1	30.0	32.4	31.9	31.9	33.3	29.9	29.9	28.8
PRESENTLY MARRIED	23.8	23.6	28.0	20.3	20.0	27.9	19.4	19.5	18.3	20.6	20.1	32.2
NO LONGER MARRIED.....	48.1	48.2	46.2	49.5	49.9	39.7	48.7	48.7	48.3	49.5	50.0	39.0

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CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	132	109	23	118	97	21	122	91	31	135	117	18
COURT OF COMMITMENT	132	109	23	118	97	21	122	91	31	135	117	18
JUVENILE.....	75.0	90.8	-	77.1	93.8	-	68.0	91.2	-	81.5	94.0	-
CRIMINAL.....	25.0	9.2	100.0	22.9	6.2	100.0	32.0	8.8	100.0	18.5	6.0	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	132	109	23	118	97	21	122	91	31	135	117	18
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	9.1	7.4	17.4	16.9	19.6	4.8	20.5	20.9	19.4	14.8	15.4	11.2
ALAMEDA.....	0.8	0.9	-	4.2	5.2	-	3.2	4.4	-	3.0	3.4	-
CONTRA COSTA.....	-	-	-	2.5	3.1	-	2.5	1.1	6.5	-	-	-
MONTEREY.....	-	-	-	1.7	1.0	4.8	0.8	1.1	-	-	-	-
SAN FRANCISCO.....	1.5	-	8.6	0.8	1.0	-	0.8	1.1	-	1.5	1.7	-
SAN MATEO.....	0.8	0.9	-	1.7	2.1	-	2.5	2.2	3.2	2.2	1.7	5.6
SANTA CLARA.....	3.0	2.8	4.4	3.4	4.1	-	6.6	6.6	6.5	2.9	3.4	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	3.0	2.8	4.4	2.6	3.1	-	4.1	4.4	3.2	5.2	5.2	5.6
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	34.1	36.7	21.7	28.0	28.0	28.5	35.2	39.6	22.6	34.1	34.2	33.3
BUTTE.....	1.5	0.9	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FRESNO.....	4.5	5.5	-	2.5	2.1	4.8	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.7	4.3	-
KERN.....	8.3	10.1	-	5.2	6.2	-	8.2	8.8	6.5	3.7	4.3	-
MADERA.....	1.5	1.8	-	0.8	1.0	-	2.5	3.3	-	3.7	3.4	5.5
SACRAMENTO.....	6.1	5.5	8.6	3.4	2.1	9.3	4.9	5.5	3.2	3.0	1.7	11.1
SAN JOAQUIN.....	3.8	4.6	-	4.2	5.2	-	3.3	4.4	-	0.7	0.8	-
STANISLAUS.....	0.8	-	4.4	2.5	2.1	4.8	2.4	3.3	-	2.2	2.6	-
TULARE	0.8	0.9	-	2.5	2.1	4.8	3.3	3.3	3.2	5.2	6.0	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	6.8	7.4	4.4	6.9	7.2	4.8	7.4	7.7	6.5	11.9	11.1	16.7
LOS ANGELES.....	45.4	43.1	56.5	37.3	35.0	47.5	27.1	25.2	32.2	38.5	36.7	50.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	11.4	12.8	4.4	17.8	17.4	19.2	17.2	14.3	25.8	12.6	13.7	5.5
ORANGE	4.5	5.5	-	8.6	9.2	4.8	4.9	3.3	9.7	1.5	1.7	-
RIVERSIDE.....	0.8	0.9	-	2.5	3.1	-	3.3	4.4	-	4.5	4.3	5.5
SAN BERNARDINO.....	3.0	3.7	-	2.5	2.1	4.8	5.7	3.3	12.9	0.8	0.9	-
SAN DIEGO.....	0.8	-	4.4	1.7	1.0	4.8	2.5	2.2	3.2	2.2	2.5	-
SANTA BARBARA.....	-	-	-	1.7	1.0	4.8	0.8	1.1	-	0.7	0.9	-
VENTURA	2.3	2.7	-	0.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.9	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.5	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE.....	132	109	23	118	97	21	122	91	31	135	117	18
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	48.5	47.7	52.2	54.2	50.5	71.4	54.9	51.6	64.5	60.0	58.1	72.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	26.5	27.5	21.7	28.0	30.9	14.3	27.9	31.9	16.1	25.9	29.1	5.6
DRUG OFFENSES.....	18.9	18.4	21.7	13.6	13.4	14.3	12.3	12.1	12.9	10.4	9.4	16.6
OTHER OFFENSES.....	6.1	6.4	4.4	4.2	4.2	-	4.9	4.4	6.5	3.7	3.4	5.6
ETHNIC GROUP.....	132	109	23	118	97	21	122	91	31	135	117	18
WHITE.....	30.3	29.4	34.9	38.1	36.1	47.6	35.2	36.3	32.3	27.4	27.3	27.8
HISPANIC.....	26.5	27.5	21.7	28.0	27.8	28.6	23.8	23.1	25.7	25.9	28.2	11.1
AFRICAN AMERICAN	34.8	33.9	39.1	28.8	30.9	19.0	34.4	35.1	32.3	9.3	36.8	55.5
ASIAN.....	1.5	0.9	4.3	-	-	-	2.5	1.1	6.5	3.0	3.4	-
OTHER.....	6.9	8.3	-	5.1	5.2	4.8	4.1	4.4	3.2	4.4	4.3	5.6

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CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	122	102	20	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7
COURT OF COMMITMENT	122	102	20	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7
JUVENILE.....	77.9	93.0	-	87.3	99.3	-	80.3	96.9	-	89.3	95.2	-
CRIMINAL.....	22.1	7.0	100.0	12.7	0.7	100.0	19.7	3.1	100.0	10.7	4.8	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	122	102	20	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	23.8	25.5	15.0	26.1	29.0	5.3	19.1	20.0	14.8	21.4	22.9	--
ALAMEDA.....	6.6	7.8	-	1.9	2.2	-	4.5	4.6	3.7	4.5	4.8	-
CONTRA COSTA.....	0.8	1.0	-	0.6	0.7	-	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-
MONTEREY.....	1.6	2.0	-	2.5	2.9	-	2.5	3.1	-	4.5	4.8	-
SAN FRANCISCO	1.6	-	10.0	1.9	2.2	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.0	-
SAN MATEO	4.9	5.9	-	7.0	8.0	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.9	-
SANTA CLARA	1.7	1.0	5.0	5.7	5.8	5.3	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	6.6	7.8	-	6.4	7.2	-	7.6	6.9	11.1	2.7	2.9	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	32.0	34.3	20.0	35.0	36.2	26.3	33.8	36.9	18.5	27.7	27.6	28.6
BUTTE.....	0.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-
FRESNO	2.5	2.9	-	3.2	2.9	5.3	6.4	7.7	-	7.1	6.7	14.3
KERN.....	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.8	5.3	4.5	4.6	3.7	0.9	1.0	-
MADERA.....	0.8	1.0	-	0.6	0.7	-	1.3	0.8	3.7	1.8	1.9	-
SACRAMENTO.....	4.1	2.9	10.0	3.2	2.9	5.3	4.5	4.6	3.7	3.6	2.9	14.3
SAN JOAQUIN.....	1.6	1.9	-	1.9	1.4	5.3	1.3	0.8	3.7	-	-	-
STANISLAUS.....	0.8	1.0	-	3.8	4.3	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.9	-
TULARE	5.8	6.9	-	5.7	5.8	5.3	7.0	7.7	3.7	2.7	2.9	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	10.7	11.8	5.0	10.8	12.3	-	8.3	10.0	-	8.0	8.6	-
LOS ANGELES.....	21.3	17.6	40.0	21.7	17.4	52.6	25.5	21.5	44.4	22.3	21.0	42.9
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	22.9	22.6	25.0	17.2	17.4	15.8	21.7	21.5	22.2	28.6	28.6	28.6
ORANGE	2.4	-	15.0	2.5	2.9	-	3.2	3.1	3.7	5.4	5.7	-
RIVERSIDE.....	3.3	3.0	5.0	3.8	2.9	10.5	5.1	3.1	14.8	6.3	6.7	-
SAN BERNARDINO.....	-	-	-	0.6	0.7	-	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-
SAN DIEGO.....	11.5	13.7	-	7.0	7.2	5.3	9.6	11.5	-	8.9	8.6	14.3
SANTA BARBARA.....	2.4	2.0	5.0	1.3	1.4	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-
VENTURA.....	-	-	-	0.6	0.7	-	1.3	0.8	3.7	0.9	1.0	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	3.3	3.9	-	1.3	1.4	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.0	14.3
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE	122	102	20	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	58.2	56.9	65.0	55.4	50.7	89.5	52.9	49.2	70.4.	69.6	67.6	100.0
PROPERTY OFFENSES	27.1	28.4	20.0	29.3	32.6	5.3	32.5	36.9	11.1	17.9	19.0	-
DRUG OFFENSES.....	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.8	11.6	5.3	8.3	8.5	7.4	7.1	7.6	-
OTHER OFFENSES.....	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.5	5.1	-	6.4	5.4	11.1	5.4	5.7	-
ETHNIC GROUP	122	102	20	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7
WHITE.....	38.2	38.2	5.0	24.2	27.5	-	30.6	29.2	37.0	27.7	27.6	28.6
HISPANIC.....	32.0	28.4	50.0	37.6	34.8	57.9	35.7	36.9	29.6	40.2	39.0	57.1
AFRICAN AMERICAN	25.4	25.5	25.0	28.7	26.8	42.1	26.8	26.2	29.6	26.8	27.6	14.3
ASIAN.....	4.1	3.0	10.0	1.9	2.2	-	3.8	3.8	3.7	2.7	2.9	-
OTHER5.7	4.9	10.0	7.6	8.7	-	3.2	3.8	-	2.7	2.9	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	1998			1999			2000			2001		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS.....	93	91	2	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4
COURT OF COMMITMENT	93	91	2	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4
JUVENILE.....	95.7	97.8	-	90.2	96.0	-	92.5	95.6	-	94.5	98.9	-
CRIMINAL.....	4.3	2.2	100.0	9.8	4.0	100.0	7.5	4.4	100.0	5.5	1.1	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	93	91	2	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.3	18.7	-	18.2	19.4	-	23.7	24.4	-	20.9	21.8	-
ALAMEDA	3.2	3.3	-	5.3	5.6	-	4.3	4.4	-	2.2	2.3	-
CONTRA COSTA.....	2.2	2.2	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.2	-	6.6	6.9	-
MONTEREY	6.5	6.6	-	2.3	2.4	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.4	-
SAN FRANCISCO	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.3	-
SAN MATEO	-	-	-	0.8	0.8	-	3.2	3.3	-	1.1	1.1	-
SANTA CLARA.....	4.3	4.4	-	3.8	4.0	-	6.5	6.7	-	1.1	1.1	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES.....	2.2	2.2	-	6.1	6.5	-	6.5	6.7	-	4.4	4.6	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	31.2	31.9	-	22.7	22.6	25.0	31.2	30.0	66.7	34.1	33.3	50.0
BUTTE	1.1	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FRESNO	6.5	6.6	-	3.8	4.0	-	6.5	6.7	-	8.8	9.2	-
KERN	3.2	3.3	-	0.8	0.8	-	5.4	5.6	-	2.2	2.3	-
MADERA	1.1	1.1	-	0.8	0.8	-	-	-	33.3	2.2	2.3	-
SACRAMENTO.....	2.2	2.2	-	3.0	2.4	12.5	4.3	4.4	-	8.8	6.9	50.0
SAN JOAQUIN	2.2	2.2	-	3.0	2.4	12.5	2.2	2.2	-	1.1	1.1	-
STANISLAUS	-	-	-	1.5	1.6	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.3	-
TULARE	3.2	3.3	-	3.8	4.0	-	2.2	2.2	-	1.1	1.1	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES.....	11.8	12.1	-	6.1	6.5	-	8.6	7.8	33.3	7.7	8.0	-
LOS ANGELES.....	20.4	19.8	50.0	27.3	24.2	75.0	19.4	18.9	33.3	15.4	13.8	50.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	30.1	29.7	50.0	31.8	33.9	-	25.8	26.7	-	29.7	31.0	-
ORANGE	3.2	3.3	-	3.0	3.2	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.4	-
RIVERSIDE	8.6	8.8	-	10.6	11.3	-	5.4	5.6	-	4.4	4.6	-
SAN BERNARDINO.....	6.5	5.5	50.0	12.1	12.9	-	15.1	15.6	-	14.3	14.9	-
SAN DIEGO	5.4	5.5	-	3.8	4.0	-	2.2	2.2	-	3.3	3.4	-
SANTA BARBARA.....	2.2	2.2	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	-	-	-	-
VENTURA	4.3	4.4	-	2.3	2.4	-	2.2	2.2	-	4.4	4.6	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT												
OFFENSE.....	93	91	2	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4
VIOLENT OFFENSES.....	47.3	48.4	-	56.8	55.6	75.0	59.1	58.9	66.7	47.3	44.8	100.0
PROPERTY OFFENSES.....	37.6	38.5	-	26.5	26.6	25.0	26.9	26.7	33.3	38.5	40.2	-
DRUG OFFENSES.....	9.7	8.8	50.0	9.1	9.7	-	8.6	8.9	-	7.7	8.0	-
OTHER OFFENSES.....	5.4	4.4	50.0	7.6	8.1	-	5.4	5.6	-	6.6	6.9	-
ETHNIC GROUP	93	91	2	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4
WHITE	26.9	27.5	-	27.3	29.0	-	25.8	25.6	33.3	34.1	35.6	-
HISPANIC	35.5	34.1	100.0	44.7	42.7	75.0	30.1	30.0	33.3	31.9	32.2	25.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	32.3	33.0	-	21.2	21.8	12.5	37.6	37.8	33.3	29.7	27.6	75.0
ASIAN	2.2	2.2	-	1.5	0.8	12.5	2.2	2.2	-	2.2	2.3	-
OTHER.....	3.2	3.3	-	5.3	5.6	-	4.3	4.4	-	2.2	2.3	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	1990			1991			1992			1993		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.4	17.0	19.3	17.2	16.7	19.5	17.4	16.7	19.4	16.8	16.4	19.3
PRIOR ESCAPES.....	132	109	23	114	96	18	121	91	30	78	65	13
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	82.6	79.8	95.7	81.6	78.1	100.0	93.4	93.4	93.3	96.2	95.4	100.0
ONE OR MORE.....	17.4	20.2	4.3	18.4	21.9	-	6.6	6.6	6.7	3.8	4.6	-
CO-OFFENDERS	132	109	23	114	96	18	121	91	30	78	65	13
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	60.6	62.4	52.2	49.1	50.0	44.4	44.6	53.8	16.6	55.1	52.3	69.2
ONE OR TWO	31.1	29.4	39.1	42.1	42.7	38.9	42.2	40.7	46.7	33.3	33.9	30.8
THREE OR MORE	8.3	8.2	8.7	8.8	7.3	16.7	13.2	5.5	36.7	11.6	13.8	-
DISABILITIES	132	109	23	114	96	18	121	91	30	78	65	13
NONE OR UNKNOWN	89.4	92.7	73.9	93.9	93.8	94.4	93.4	93.4	93.3	97.4	96.9	100.0
HANDICAP PRESENT	10.6	7.3	26.1	6.1	6.2	5.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	2.6	3.1	-
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	7.6	7.4	8.7	7.5	7.1	10.0	7.5	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.6	9.9
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	6.2	6.1	6.5	6.3	6.0	8.2	6.2	6.0	7.0	6.2	5.9	8.5
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	131	108	23	114	96	18	121	91	30	78	65	13
NONE.....	24.4	19.4	47.9	27.2	18.8	72.1	28.9	20.9	53.4	41.0	35.4	69.2
ONE THRU FOUR.....	63.4	68.5	39.1	59.6	66.7	22.2	62.0	68.1	43.3	57.7	63.1	30.8
FIVE OR MORE	12.2	12.1	13.0	13.2	14.5	5.7	9.1	11.0	3.3	1.3	1.5	-
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	132	109	23	114	96	18	121	91	30	78	65	13
NONE.....	50.8	44.1	82.6	71.9	67.7	94.4	82.7	80.2	90.0	79.5	75.4	100.0
ONE.....	37.9	43.1	13.0	21.9	26.0	-	16.5	18.7	10.0	19.2	23.1	-
TWO.....	10.6	11.9	4.4	6.2	6.3	5.6	0.8	1.1	-	1.3	1.5	-
THREE OR MORE	0.7	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RELIGION	116	100	16	108	90	18	108	80	28	74	61	13
CATHOLIC	43.1	42.0	50.0	49.1	48.9	50.0	46.3	46.2	46.4	37.8	39.3	30.8
PROTESTANT	52.6	54.0	43.8	50.9	51.1	50.0	50.9	52.5	46.4	56.8	57.4	53.8
OTHER	4.3	4.0	6.2	-	-	-	2.8	1.3	7.2	5.4	3.3	15.4
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	130	107	23	113	95	18	118	90	28	78	65	13
NEVER MARRIED.....	30.8	29.9	34.8	31.8	33.7	22.2	41.5	43.3	35.7	37.2	36.9	38.4
PRESENTLY MARRIED	14.6	15.0	13.0	13.3	12.6	13.7	17.8	15.6	25.0	10.2	6.2	30.8
NO LONGER MARRIED	54.6	55.1	52.2	54.9	53.7	61.1	40.7	41.1	39.3	52.6	56.9	30.8

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CHARACTERISTICS	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC									
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.3	16.8	19.6	16.8	16.5	19.0	17.0	16.6	19.0	16.7	16.6	17.4
PRIOR ESCAPES	111	93	18	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5
NONE OR UNKNOWN	92.8	92.5	99.4	91.9	91.5	94.4	92.2	89.9	100.0	93.1	94.0	80.0
ONE OR MORE	7.2	7.5	5.6	8.1	8.5	5.6	7.8	10.1	-	6.9	6.0	20.0
CO-OFFENDERS	111	93	18	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5
NONE OR UNKNOWN	61.3	63.5	50.0	50.7	54.6	22.2	52.4	59.5	29.2	40.3	41.8	20.0
ONE OR TWO	32.4	29.0	50.0	41.2	38.5	61.1	34.0	27.8	54.2	45.8	44.8	60.0
THREE OR MORE	6.3	7.5	-	8.1	6.9	16.7	13.6	12.7	16.7	13.9	13.4	20.0
DISABILITIES.....	111	93	18	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5
NONE OR UNKNOWN	96.4	96.8	94.4	96.6	96.2	100.0	98.1	97.5	100.0	91.7	91.0	100.0
HANDICAP PRESENT	3.6	3.2	5.6	3.4	3.8	-	1.9	2.5	-	8.3	9.0	-
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	8.0	8.0	8.1
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.0	6.9	7.2
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	111	93	18	148	130	18	103	79	24	71	66	5
NONE	27.9	20.4	66.7	23.6	17.7	66.7	28.2	19.0	58.3	31.0	31.8	20.0
ONE THRU FOUR.....	67.6	74.2	33.3	64.2	69.2	27.8	67.0	74.7	41.7	56.3	56.1	60.0
FIVE OR MORE	4.5	5.4	-	12.2	13.1	5.6	4.9	6.3	-	12.7	12.1	20.0
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	111	93	18	148	130	18	103	79	24	71	66	5
NONE	88.3	86.0	100.0	79.7	77.7	94.4	68.0	60.8	91.7	90.1	89.4	100.0
ONE	7.2	8.6	-	17.6	19.2	5.6	27.2	32.9	8.3	5.6	6.1	-
TWO	3.6	4.3	-	2.0	2.3	-	4.9	6.3	-	4.2	4.5	-
THREE OR MORE	0.9	1.1	-	0.7	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RELIGION	98	82	16	136	118	18	96	74	22	67	62	5
CATHOLIC	42.9	42.7	43.8	38.2	34.7	61.1	29.2	31.1	22.7	34.3	33.9	40.0
PROTESTANT	55.1	56.1	50.0	61.0	64.4	38.9	65.6	63.5	72.7	64.2	64.5	60.0
OTHER	2.0	1.2	6.2	0.7	0.8	-	5.2	5.4	4.5	1.5	1.6	-
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	111	93	18	146	128	18	102	78	24	72	67	5
NEVER MARRIED	28.8	31.2	16.7	38.4	37.5	44.4	37.3	35.9	41.7	48.6	50.7	20.0
PRESENTLY MARRIED	18.9	16.1	33.3	11.6	10.9	16.7	11.8	11.5	12.5	16.7	16.4	20.0
NO LONGER MARRIED	52.3	52.7	50.0	50.0	51.6	38.9	51.0	52.6	45.8	34.7	32.8	60.0

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CHARACTERISTICS	1998			1999			2000			2001		
	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC	TOTAL	CYA	CDC
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	16.8	16.8	17.0	16.9	16.8	17.4	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.7	16.7	17.2
PRIOR ESCAPES	n/a	72	n/a	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	n/a	97.2	n/a	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
ONE OR MORE.....	n/a	2.8	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CO-OFFENDERS	n/a	72	n/a	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	n/a	62.5	n/a	57.6	0.2	14.3	56.1	57.4	33.3	71.3	71.8	50.0
ONE OR TWO	n/a	31.9	n/a	31.4	29.6	57.1	35.1	33.3	66.7	22.5	21.8	50.0
THREE OR MORE	n/a	5.6	n/a	11.4	10.2	28.6	8.8	9.3	-	6.2	6.4	-
DISABILITIES.....	n/a	72	n/a	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2
NONE OR UNKNOWN.....	n/a	95.8	n/a	95.2	94.9	100.0	96.5	96.3	100.0	96.2	96.2	100.0
HANDICAP PRESENT.....	n/a	4.2	n/a	4.8	5.1	-	3.5	4.7	-	3.8	3.8	-
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	n/a	8.0	n/a	7.7	7.6	10.9	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL).....	n/a	6.9	n/a	6.4	6.4	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS.....	n/a	72	n/a	104	97	7	54	51	3	80	78	2
NONE	n/a	27.8	n/a	37.5	37.1	42.9	37.0	35.3	66.7	23.8	21.8	100.0
ONE THRU FOUR.....	n/a	61.1	n/a	55.8	56.7	42.9	51.9	52.9	33.3	67.5	69.2	-
FIVE OR MORE	n/a	11.1	n/a	6.7	6.2	14.3	11.1	11.8	-	8.8	9.0	-
PRIOR COMMITMENTS.....	n/a	71	n/a	105	98	7	55	52	3	80	78	2
NONE	n/a	100.0	n/a	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.1	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
ONE	n/a	-	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TWO	n/a	-	n/a	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-
THREE OR MORE.....	n/a	-	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RELIGION	n/a	65	n/a	91	86	5	54	51	3	63	61	2
CATHOLIC.....	n/a	23.1	n/a	34.1	31.4	80.0	22.2	21.6	33.3	22.2	23.0	-
PROTESTANT.....	n/a	73.8	n/a	63.7	66.3	20.0	72.2	72.5	66.7	76.2	75.4	100.0
OTHER.....	n/a	3.1	n/a	2.2	2.3	-	5.6	5.9	-	1.6	1.6	-
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	n/a	67	n/a	103	96	7	57	54	3	78	76	2
NEVER MARRIED.....	n/a	41.8	n/a	51.5	53.1	28.6	52.6	55.6	-	51.3	50.0	100.0
PRESENTLY MARRIED	n/a	14.9	n/a	7.8	7.3	14.3	15.8	14.8	33.3	11.5	11.8	-
NO LONGER MARRIED	n/a	43.3	n/a	40.8	39.6	57.1	31.6	29.6	66.7	37.2	38.2	-

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